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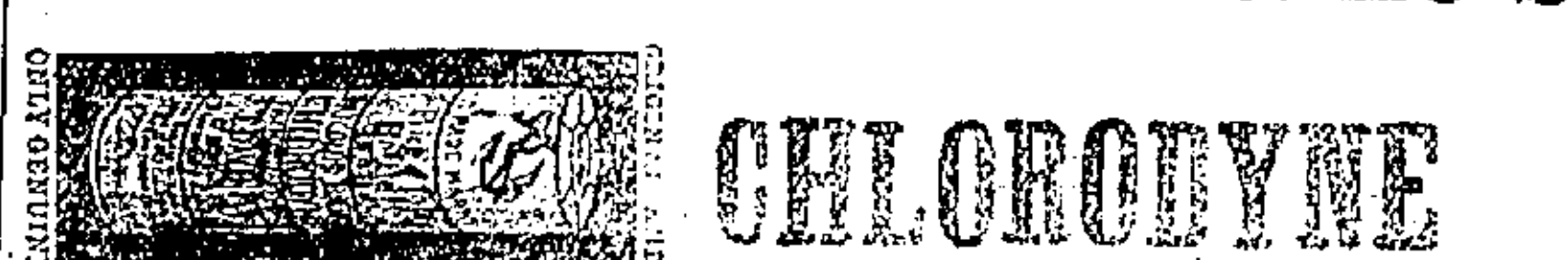
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LATE TELEGRAMS.

The Burning Question of the Moment.

October 24.—A demonstration of unemployed reservists, some unpaid by the War Office, has been held in Hyde Park. Lord Roberts, receiving the Freedom of Bournemouth yesterday, said that the employment of reservists was the burning question of the moment. He appealed for a helping hand for those who had done such excellent service for their country.

British Troops in India.

October 20.—Lord George Hamilton said that the correspondence regarding the conditions of service of British troops in India is incomplete. He expected shortly to get the final views of the Indian Government. As the War Office has already agreed to the abolition of the increased charge, the matter will be referred to arbitration.

The India Office.

October 23.—Mr. Richmond Ritchie, O.B., Private Secretary to Lord George Hamilton, has been appointed Secretary to the Political Department in succession to Sir William Lee-Warner.

Taxation of Indian Cotton Mills.

Mr. Richards, M.P., speaking at Finsbury, strongly advocated the abolition of the excise on Indian cotton mills and removing a standing monument for native agitators.

Algeria and Morocco

The Times correspondent at Fez states that the Algerian-Morocco Frontier question has been settled. France obtains the disputed districts. She has already occupied them, but the Sultan refuses to grant the French proposal for preferential import and export duties.

Samoan Question in Arbitration.

October 21.—It is reported at Washington that King Oscar of Sweden has arbitrated that the United States and Great Britain are liable for damage sustained by German subjects, due to the landing of their troops in the fighting with Matsuda in Samoa. This decision implies that such landing was wrongful.

There are vehement American protests against the acceptance of this principle.

Lord Kitchener.

October 21.—General Lord Kitchener left Paris yesterday evening.

October 23.—General Lord Kitchener arrived in Rome this morning, and has visited the sights.

He is staying with Sir James Rennell Rodd.

He arrives at Assouan on the 31st October; at Khartoum on the 4th November; leaves Khartoum on the 12th November; visits the Blue Nile; will probably open the Gordon College; and embark for India on the 19th November.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

INFORMATION has been received from the MILITARY AUTHORITIES that gun practice will be discontinued (Sundays excepted) from Stannington and Belcher's Batteries in a North-Westerly and Westerly direction, and from Lysman Batteries in a North-Easterly direction, from the 6th November, 1902, to the 6th March, 1903.

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Hongkong, November 6, 1902. 2258

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HONGKONG SHARE REPORT.

In their weekly share report dated 7th November, Messrs Benjamin, Kelly & Potts write:—

Nothing of positive importance has occurred in our market during the week ending, to a certain extent, to the Shanghai Race Meeting, but it is satisfactory to note that the stocks dealt in have all been exchanged at enhanced rates.

Banks.—Hongkong and Shanghai Banks have been booked at \$350, in which figure the market closes work, and more shares can probably be had. The sterling rate in London has slightly hardened and are quoted at 264.10. Nationals are procurable at 227.

Marine Insurance.—Unions remain steady with sales at \$400. China Traders have been bought and have further buyers at \$22. Canteens are weak at \$167.

Fire Insurance.—Hongkong Fire can be had at \$250 and China Fire are still offering at \$160.

Shipping.—Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamships have changed hands at \$37, \$37, and \$37, and at the last mentioned price more shares can be obtained. Indo-China steamer, and have been repurchased at \$98. China and Manila have improved and are in request at \$26. Douglas Steamships have enquiries at \$23. Star Ferries have found buyers at \$23 for the old issue: the new shares are in demand at \$12.

Refineries.—China Sugars have advanced and sales at \$102 have been effected, closing with sellers at \$103. Lazzos are still inquired for at \$15.

Monies.—Nothing has transpired in stocks under this heading and there is little or no change in rates. Panjoms are obtainable at \$23. The following telegram has been received from the mines, giving the result of the October clean up:—

Crushed up 188 tons of mineral, and surface ore for a yield of 134 ozs. gold, valued at \$6,000. Average per ton: 14 dwts. 13 grs.

Docks, Wharves and Stevedores.—A small business has been transacted in Hongkong and Whampoa Docks at \$217. Farman has had a considerable rise and are in request at \$215. Kowloon Wharves continued to improve and are wanted at \$209.

Lands, Hotels and Buildings.—Hongkong Lands have been placed at \$187 but are now obtainable at \$186. Shanghai Lands are wanted at \$125. West Point are asked for at \$48. Hongkong Hotels have been in strong request and have changed hands at \$132 each. For December delivery, buildings have been placed to some extent at \$138. Humphreys' Estate are in demand at \$129, and China Providents have sellers at \$10 after sales at the rate.

Cotton Mills.—Cotton Mills are quiet at \$14. 40 and sales of Lou-Kung-Mow have taken place at \$14.25. Hongkong Cottons continue on at \$17.

Char Companies and Companies.—Reports of all kinds of shares are reported in Shanghai at \$14.25.

Medicines.—Green Island Cements are quiet and are in the market at \$21. A. S. Watsons remain firm at \$15. Electric (old) are enquired for at \$15; this new shares have been sold at \$15. William Powells can be placed at \$32. Langkats have advanced 25 points and are in demand at \$14.260.

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Intimations.

ST. ANDREW'S BALL.

THE Date of the First PRACTICE DANCE has been ALTERED to TUESDAY, 11th November.

Second and Third Practice Dances, 17th and 24th November, respectively.

DAVID WOOD,
Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, November 5, 1902. 2259

St. GEORGE'S BALL.

It is proposed to hold a St. George's Ball on the 6th January next, if sufficient subscribers can be obtained; the subscription to be \$25 each. Englishmen desirous of joining are requested to sign the subscription lists within two weeks of date, and if sufficient names be obtained, a meeting will be held to elect a Committee to make further arrangements. His Honour The Chief Justice has been elected President.

Lists will be found at the Hongkong Club, Messrs. Kelly & Wallis, Messrs. A. S. Watson, Messrs. Falconer & Co., Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co., and Messrs. Callbeck Macgregor & Co.

E. W. MITCHELL,
Hon. Secretary,
Provisional Committee.
Hongkong, October 21, 1902. 2223

THE PUNJON MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in the above-named Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, 13 BEACONSFIELD ARCADE, VICTORIA, in the Colony of Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 11th NOVEMBER, 1902, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of considering, and if thought fit, passing, the following Special Resolution:—

1. That the Capital of the Company be increased by the creation and issue of 60,000 New Ordinary Shares of \$1 each, with the sum of \$10 paid up on each, and that the Directors be empowered and authorised to accept surrenders of the present 60,000 Ordinary Shares of the Company of \$10 each on which the sum of \$10 each has been paid up, and that one New Share of \$11, with the sum of \$10 paid up thereon, be given in lieu of and in exchange for each old share of \$10 fully paid up, and that thereupon the said old shares be cancelled.

2. That of the remaining \$1 payable in respect of each of the New Shares, the sum of 50 cents be paid on the surrender of the old share, and that the remainder be called up (if necessary) and paid at such times and in such instalments as the Board may determine.

Should the above Special Resolution be passed by the requisite majority of Shareholders it will be submitted for confirmation to a second Extraordinary General Meeting to be subsequently convened.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
W. KERFOOT HUGHES,
Secretary.
Hongkong, October 27, 1902. 2188

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the AGEDOWN QUARTERS HAV-YIANG MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company, which was adjourned from the 18th August last, will be held at the CITY HALL, on TUESDAY, the 18th November, at 11.15 o'clock, a.m., when the Poll ordered at the Meeting of the 18th August will be taken.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 9 o'clock a.m. on Monday, the 17th, to 1 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 18th November, inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
GEORGE A. CALDWELL,
Acting Secretary.
Hongkong, November 4, 1902. 2247

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE THIRTY-SIXTH ORDINARY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the Head Office, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 25th instant, at TWELVE O'CLOCK NOON, for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statements of Accounts to the 20th April last and of declaring Dividends. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 25th instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
W. H. RAY, Secretary.
Hongkong, November 4, 1902. 2248

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T. F. COCHRANE,
Acting Manager, Hongkong.

For the 'Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,'
J. R. M. SMITH,
Chief Manager.

For 'The National Bank of China, Limited,'
GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR,
Chief Manager.

For 'The Mercantile Bank of India, Limited,'
EVAN ORMISTON,
Manager, Hongkong.

For the 'Banque de l'Indo-Chine, Hong Kong Agency,'
G. MAYER,
Acting Manager.

For the 'Yokohama Specie Bank, Ltd.,
TARO HODOSHIMA,
Manager.

For the 'Imperial Bank of China,'
E. W. RUTTER,
Manager, Hongkong.

For the 'Deutsch-Asiatische Bank,'
H. FIGGE,
Manager.

For the Russo-Chinese Bank,
J. W. R. TAYLOR,
Manager.

Guaranty Trust Co., of New York,
N. C. FYNN,
Acting Manager.

Hongkong, November 5, 1902. 2254

KOWLOON BOWLOON GREEN CLUB.

A TOURNAMENT will take place on the GREENS on MONDAY, 10th Instant, commencing at 2.30 p.m. Members are requested to turn up early.

JOHN GALT, Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, November 7, 1902. 2279

LADIES RECREATION CLUB.

SUBSCRIPTION BALL.

A SUBSCRIPTION BALL in aid of the FUNDS required for the new full-sized CRICKET LAWN will be held at the CITY HALL, on TUESDAY, December 9th, from 9.30 p.m. to 12.30 p.m. The Price of Tickets will be \$5 each, to be paid at the time of Application, and the tickets will be non-transferable.

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F. A. SAUNDERS,
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Hongkong, November 7, 1902. 2281

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TIME TABLE.

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9.30 a.m. to 10.30 a.m. Every 15 minutes.
10.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 10 minutes.
11.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes.
1.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.
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After the 15th December, the Board proposes to strictly enforce the provisions of the Byelaws governing 'Domestic Cleanliness and Ventilation,' and the Board will, if on inspection it be found necessary, direct its officers to cleanse and disinfect premises under the provisions of the Byelaws for the 'Prevention or Mitigation of Epidemic, Endemic, or Contagious Disease.'

By Order of the Board,
G. A. WOODCOCK,
Secretary.

Sanitary Board Office,
6th November, 1902. 2257

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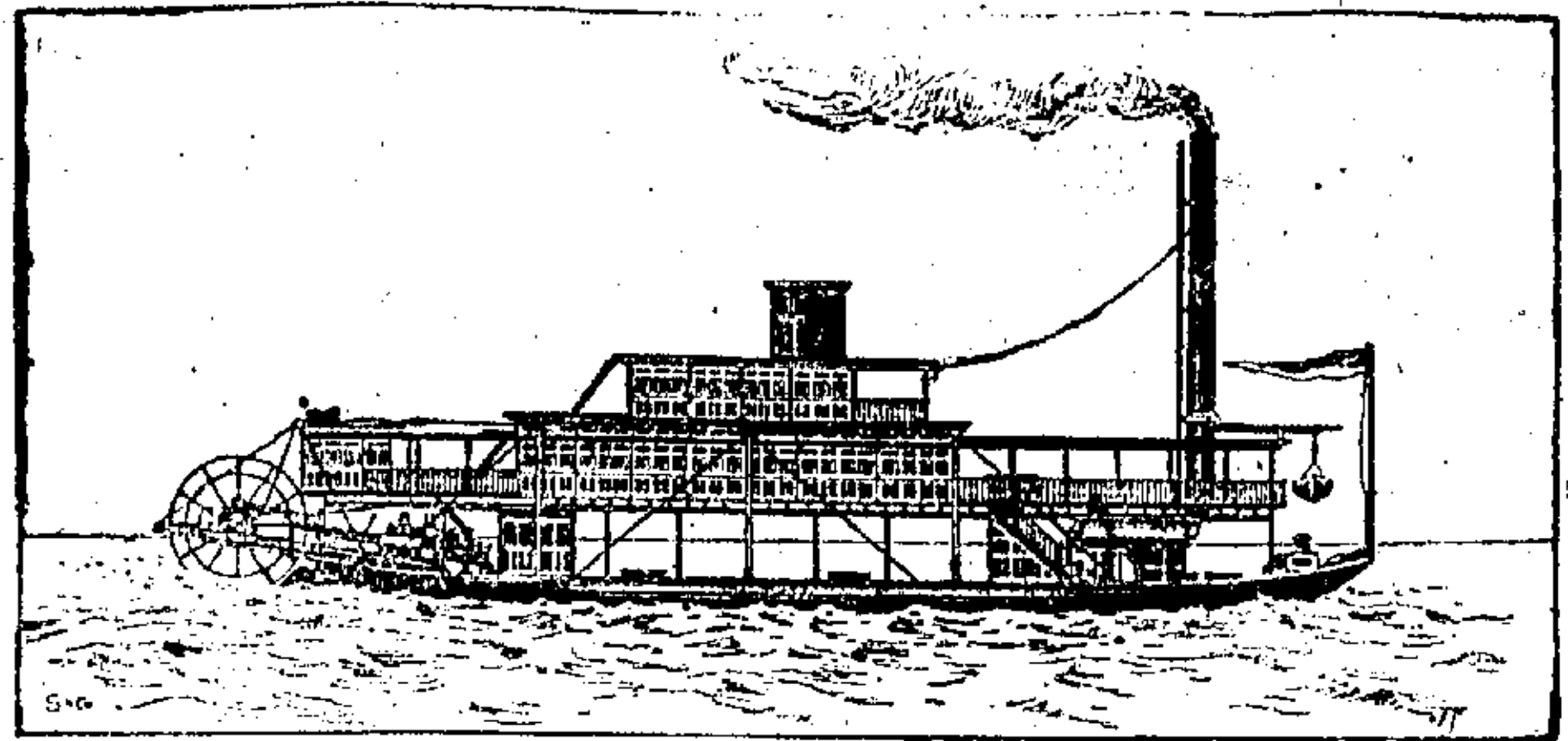
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Miscellaneous.

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this date subject to rent.
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this date subject to rent.
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at Noon after this date subject to rent
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General Memoranda.
TUESDAY, November 11:—
Noon.—Extraordinary Meeting of Share-
holders of The Tung Wah Hospital Co.,
Ltd., at the Company's Office.
Transfer Books of The China Traders'
Insurance Co., Ltd., closed from this
date to the 25th November, inclusive.

WEDNESDAY, November 12:—
10 a.m.—Auction of Sundry Stores, at
H.M. Naval Yard.

THURSDAY, November 13:—
9 a.m.—A. D. C. Performance at the
City Hall.

FRIDAY, November 14:—
Goods per Parnassus not cleared at
4 p.m. on this date subject to rent.

MONDAY, November 17:—
Transfer Books of The Hongkong and
Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd., closed from
9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on this date to the
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MARRIAGE.

At the English Church, Nagasaki, on the
22nd October, by the Rev. A. R. Fuller,
Percy James, youngest son of Henry
Duckland, of Gleadlow, South Woodford,
Essex, to MARGARET, eldest daughter of
George and Eleanor Cartmear, of Wylands,
Shirhampton, near Bristol, England.

The publication of this issue commenced
at 5.45 p.m.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1902.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

At the last meeting of
the Legislative Council,
an Ordinance to amend
the Law relating to
Employers and Servants was read a
first time. This is the Government's
reply to the continuous clamour of the
general public for a remedy for the
growing evil of careless, insolent and
absconding servants. In the objects
and reasons attached to the Bill by the
Attorney General, it is stated that
'much inconvenience has been ex-
perienced by, and loss entailed upon,
employers by servants after engagement
refusing to enter upon service or having
entered thereon leaving their employers
without notice; absconding themselves
without leave; carelessly or negligently
or otherwise misconducting themselves
during the period of service; while
employers have been without any
practical remedy. This Bill supplies
the needed remedy by affording em-
ployers a summary means of enforcing
a contract of service while it safeguards
servants in respect of their wages, and
rights generally thereunder.' Whether
the new Ordinance will have the effect
of securing better domestic servants to
the public is a problem we do not set
ourselves to solve. Registration would
be a more effective method, because it
is not so much the punishment of de-
faulting servants that is desired as
reliable testimony of a servant's worth
and honesty before engagement. The
old maxim that 'prevention is better
than cure' is very appropriate in this
connection. It is only after the per-
fidious domestic has gone to 'Canton
more far' with his master's gold watch
and the household spoons and silver
ware that the poisonous nature of the
varmint is discovered; and too often the
local Sherlock Holmes is unable to
trace the delinquent or the property.
Under the new law, the employer has
power to prosecute the insolent, careless
or contract-breaking domestic servant,
and after an infinitude of trouble may
succeed in getting him fined or imprison-
ed. We say 'may succeed,' because
with a too conscientious Magistrate,
who is anxious to follow the strictly
legal rather than the more logical or
equitable course, Police Court proceed-
ings will only produce vexation to the
employer and grosser insolence on the
part of the native servants. We
welcome the Bill as 'an honest at-
tempt' to alleviate the worries of
the European employer of domestic
labour, but we doubt its efficacy. The
average European dislikes appearing in
Court to discuss his domestic woes. To
be effective, the proposed law should
have been directed to prevent police
court proceedings. As regards the
general question, apart from domestic
service, the Bill seems to meet public
requirements. In recent years, the sud-
den departure of clerks and skilled work-
men has caused much inconvenience in
the Colony. The punishment imposed
by the eighteenth clause of the Bill
might be increased, however, from \$100
and six months' imprisonment with
hard labour to imprisonment without
the option of a fine. The sudden
cessation of labour is often brought
about by guilds, or organizations of a
similar character, to which the payment
of fines would oppose no deterrent in-
fluence. It is necessary, to make the
law effective, that the punishment should
fall upon the guilty party. The only
difficulty we can see to imprisonment
without the option of a fine is the dan-
ger of depriving employers of skilled
workmen for a prolonged period. The
point, however, is worth consideration.

Foreign Capital in Japan.

The Hokkaido Colliery and the Kyushu
Railway Companies, which have so long
endeavoured to introduce foreign capital
into Japan, are now reported to have
arranged with Messrs John Birch and
Company to the end that the London firm
shall grant the companies loans amounting
to eight and ten million yen respectively,
as soon as the Railway Mortgage Law
is passed by the Imperial Diet at its forth-
coming session.

A Gift to Missions.

The Honorable John Watanabe,
ex-Postmaster General of the United
States, who visited India last cold season,
has given a lakh of rupees to the educational
work of the Allahabad station of the
American Presbyterian Mission and has
promised further assistance as the work
develops. Messrs Preston H. Edwards,
M.A., and A. B. Allison, M.A., who have
been secured for College work have arrived
in Bombay and proceed at once to the
Jumna Mission, Allahabad.

The Activity of Mount Shirane.

Japan papers speak of a panic among
the people at Yumoto Spring, as a result of
recent signs of activity shown by Mount
Shirane. They are all preparing to move
out of what they consider a very dangerous
locality. Two policemen were despatched
from Utsunomiya to observe the condition
of things. They report that rumbling
sounds are still heard very frequently,
though of late there has been nothing
approaching an eruption.

Bank Note Issue.

The following returns of the average
amount of bank notes in circulation and of
specie in reserve in Hongkong, during
October, are certified by the managers of
the respective banks:—

Banks.	Average Amount.	Specie in Reserve.
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China	3,229,030	1,600,000
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation	9,609,183	5,000,000
National Bank of China, Limited	445,382	150,000
Total	13,283,595	6,750,000

Sterling Salaries for Officials.

The Unofficial Members of the Straits
Settlements Legislative Council protested
against the payment of official salaries on a
sterling basis. The Hon. C. Stringer said
he could not bring himself to regard quiet-
ly a scheme by which members of the Gov-
ernment service should be sufficiently pro-
vided for, whilst the other people who lived
and worked in Singapore were largely pre-
cluded from all chance of acquiring wealth
owing to the state of the currency. In
1897, it would have been possible to fix
the dollar on a 2/- basis. That opportunity
had been lost through the inaction of the
Government, and the subject now was of
immensely greater difficulty owing to the
enormous number of British dollars put in
circulation since. If the larger scheme
could be settled, he believed that His Ex-
cellency's scheme was a very good one, and
would meet almost all cases, except perhaps
that, in his view, some of the salaries had
been somewhat liberally stated. In his
reply, Sir Frank Swettenham said, refer-
ring to the lost opportunity with regard to
a gold basis, that the Government had
not done what it ought to have done.
Did the Hon. member know that at the
time indicated the Chamber of Commerce
were almost equally divided? He thought
it was better they should get the sterling
scheme through now than leave it for the
future, and personally he trusted it would
be final.

PROMPT ACTION

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systems are built up, and from which we derive
our mental as well as our physical capabilities.
If the blood is diseased the body is diseased.
Sufferers from Scrofula, Scary, Eczema, Bad
Legs, Skin and Blood Diseases, Pimples, and
Sores of any kind are solicited to give Clarke's
world-famous Blood Mixture a trial to test its
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effected by it. Sold everywhere at 2s. 9d. per
bottle. Beware of worthless imitations and sub-
stitutes.

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speedy and effective. Wholesale from A. S.
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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The European Vintage
Messrs W. and A. Gilbey, wine mer-
chants, in their annual report, estimate
that the yield of the European vintage,
now concluding, will be 880,000,000
gallons. It is also stated that there is a
deplorable deficiency in the Rhine and
Moselle vineyards, and while the Burgundy
quantity is short, the quality is superior.

Lord Kitchener.

The Times in its valedictory articles
praises Lord Kitchener's rare constitutional
aversion to demonstrations and fuss, and
confidently assumes the continuance of that
happy state of affairs existing between the
Viceroy and the Commander-in-Chief in
India so admirably sketched by Lord
Curzon in his speech at the farewell dinner
to Sir Power Palmer.

Hospital Sunday.

The Offerings in St. John's Cathedral
on Sunday November 9, will be given to
the Alice Memorial and Netherland
Hospitals. Special Sermons will be
preached by the Venerable Archdeacon
Banister and by the Chaplain of the Sea-
men's Mission (Rev. J. H. France). At
the Union Church (Rev. C. H. Hickling)
a special collection will also be made for
the local hospital fund.

Departure of the Welch Fusiliers.

The officers and men of the Royal
Welch Fusiliers have been busy all day
preparing for their departure. Orders
have been received to leave Hongkong and
they embark to-morrow on the chartered
transport *Walwal* for India. They are to
be stationed at the hill station of Chakran.

Arrival of the Janet Waldorf Co.

The *Chungking*, from Australia, arrived
this morning with the Janet Waldorf Com-
pany, whose season begins at the Theatre
Royal on Monday, 17th inst., with *A Royal
Discharge*. A number of influential citizens went
out to welcome Miss Waldorf, extending
to the visiting theatrician a cordial greet-
ing. Miss Waldorf thanked them for their
kind expressions and good wishes, and
assured them that it gave her great pleasure
to return to Hongkong, of which she re-
tains the most pleasant recollections. Miss
Waldorf was the recipient of many hand-
some floral tributes. Mr Reule, the man-
ager, Mrs. Ada Gow-Currier, Mr. Norval
McGregor, and Mr. Harold Campbell, the
Musical Conductor, also exchanged greetings
of welcome. Two large lighters were brought
alongside to receive some twenty tons of
scenery, wardrobe, etc., which is required
for their big productions. The Company
consists of twenty-six members and all have
come to the Colony in good health. The
box plan opened at Messrs Robinsons to-
day, when the demand for seats was of a
most pronounced order.

Appointment to Mr M. Grote.

Mr M. Grote, of the firm of Messrs
Heemskerk and Grote, bill and bullion
brokers, has been offered and has accepted
the position of Joint Manager of the
Bremen Agency of the Deutsche Bank of
Berlin. Together with Mr Grote's num-
erous friends and acquaintances in the
Far East, we congratulate him upon
his preferment to a responsible and
well-salaried position. The post he
is appointed to is considered one of
the 'plums' of the German banking
world. Mr Grote has long been a promi-
nent and highly-respected member of the
German community of Hongkong. He
came out to Messrs Melchers and Co. at
the end of 1873, and became a partner of
that firm in 1884. A few years later, he
became a shareholder in partnership with
Mr J. Y. V. Vermau and Sir C. P. Chater's
brother (since deceased), and in 1891 joined
his residence in Hongkong. Mr Grote has
done a good deal for the German com-
munity, and he was popular with all
nationalities. He filled positions in most
of the important Directorates in the
Colony, including the Chairmanship of the
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Cor-
poration, and for many years has been a
Steward and Starter for the Hong-
kong-Jockey Club. He was Hon.
Consul for Russia and Austro-Hun-
gary, and was decorated with the
Order of Franz Joseph for
Consular services and the Prussian Red
Eagle for services in connection with the
Jits relief and memorial fund. The Bank
to which he has just been appointed must
not be confused with the Deutsche-Asiatische
Bank here, though the Deutsche Bank has
a certain interest therein. The Deutsche
Bank of Berlin is also established in
London, is the foremost Bank of Germany,
is of very high standing, and has a paid-up
capital of £7,500,000 apart from large
reserves, &c. We again extend our con-
gratulations to Mr Grote, and wish him a
long and useful career.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Notes by the Way.
The Austrian cruiser *Kaiser Karl VI.*
left to-day for Nanking.

America is described as 'a land flow-
ing with ink and money.'

During the coal strike in the United
States, Welsh coal was admitted practically
free of duty.

Captain R. P. F. Purfoy has been
appointed Flag-Captain to Vice-Admiral
Fanehawe.

Bolton Hall, the Yorkshire seat of Lord
Bolton, was destroyed by fire on the 15th
ult. The collection of pictures was saved.

On the 20th ult., Nagasaki was report-
ed free from cholera. The sanitary authori-
ties had turned their attention to the ex-
clusion of plague.

Mr J. Chamberlain's despatch to the
Governor of the Straits Settlements about
the Volunteer Coronation Contingent was
identical with the despatch received in
Hongkong.

Mr A. R. Lahara has been recognised
officially as Consul for Chile in Hongkong,
and Mr H. Kirino is recognised as Acting
Consul for Japan during the absence of Mr
M. Noma.

Captain Molyneux has arrived at Singa-
pore from home, to assume the duties of
the newly-created appointment of superin-
tendent of the Tanjong Pagar Dock Co's
police. He saw some service in the recent
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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Insurance Losses.
The *Nagasaki Press* is informed that
the cargo of the unfortunate *Yoshino Maru*,
burnt at sea, was insured for Yen 97,500,
with one Shanghai and three Japanese
companies. The Japanese companies were
concerned to the extent of Yen 52,550, and
the Shanghai company Yen 44,950.

Interport Rifle Match.

The following is the Hongkong team:—
Messrs J. Pidgeon, D. Baldwin, R. Stewart,
C. Marshall, J. Parkes, W. Stackwood, R.
Lapeley, and J. Crocker, Col-Sergt.
Cross, and Sergt.-Inst-Davis, R.M.L.I.
Reserves—Mr J. Andrew and Sergt. Grif-
fiths.

Meteorological.

From statistics published by Mr F. G.
Figs, Acting Director of the Observatory,
we learn that the highest temperature re-
corded in October was 86.3 on the 3rd and
the lowest 65.4 on the 31st. The mean
was 76.7. The rainfall was 0.835. The
prevailing direction of the wind was East-
erly.

The Mitsui Bishi Co.

It is reported that the Japanese Gov-
ernment has favoured the Mitsui Bishi
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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

*** To Subscribers.**
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set apart for the celebration of the King's
Birthday, there will be no issue of the
China Mail on that day.

Hongkong Christian Union.

Monday being a public holiday, there
will be no meeting of the Union.

Invalided Home.

P. C. Carpenter, 115, has been invalid-
ed home, suffering from rheumatic fever.

Ten Dollars for a Blow

TELEGRAMS.

[CHINA MAIL SPECIAL SERVICE.]

EVACUATION OF SHANGHAI.

THE YANGTZE QUESTION.

Differences Adjustable in Europe.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

LONDON, November 8, 1 a.m.

An inspired statement is published by the leading newspapers with regard to the evacuation of Shanghai by the British, German, French and Japanese troops at present stationed there.

The evacuation of Shanghai is to be carried out by the foreign Powers concerned, and all differences between Great Britain and the Powers regarding spheres of influence in the Yangtze Valley region will be adjusted by the various Foreign Ministries in Europe.

[REUTERS SERVICE.]

MR CHAMBERLAIN'S TOUR.

LONDON, November 8, 1902.

Mr Chamberlain's wishes are to proceed on his mission with an open and unprejudiced mind, his sole desire being to bring together the kindred people in one great African nation under the British flag.

THE RE-SETTLEMENT OF SOUTH AFRICA.

The results of the re-settlement of South Africa and the repatriation of the burghers hitherto have exceeded the most sanguine anticipations. The Government will liberally compensate Natal and Cape loyalists, apart from the two millions sterling already voted.

THE VOLUNTEERS FOR SOMALILAND.

The Foreign Office regrets its inability to accept the Boer contingent of volunteers for Somaliland.

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The Cape newspapers report Mr Chamberlain's going first to Natal on board the Cape's cruiser.

THE AMERICAN POLITICS.

The next House of Representatives will be composed of 204 Republicans and 179 Democrats. The result is considered a personal victory for Mr Roosevelt.

THE KAISER'S VISIT TO ENGLAND.

LONDON, November 7, 1902.

His Majesty the German Emperor has sailed from Kiel for England.

FUNDS FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

The Appropriation Bill, providing eight millions sterling for the Transvaal and Orange River Colony, has passed the first reading in the House of Commons.

THE REGATTA.

Victoria Recreation Club Crews.

The following crews have been selected to represent the Victoria Recreation Club in the Challenge Race with the Hongkong Boat Club at the forthcoming Regatta next month:—

Row G. H. Rubie Bow J. Miller
2 R. Lapsley 2 A. A. Alves
3 A. Humphreys 3 W. Armstrong
Stroke A. E. Alves Stroke C. E. A. Hancock

The following are reserves:—G. Humphreys, J. H. Hancock, P. D. Bell, A. E. Alves, A. E. Horner, and P. M. Rosa Pereira. Practice days—Tuesdays and Fridays.

The following are the crews picked to row for the Chairman's Cup:—

Station No. 1. Station No. 2.
Lok. Shawrock.
N. H. Alves G. H. Rubie
P. K. Tins A. J. Mackie
J. H. Hance A. E. Alves
A. E. Alves A. E. Alves
Cox. H. W. Sykes Cox. H. Henderson

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Kornblume. Rose.
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WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued by the Hongkong Observatory:—

On the 8th at 11.30 a.m. the barometer has risen in E. Japan, fallen over the China coast and Philippines.

Pressure appears to be low over the Pacific to the E. of Luzon.

The high pressure area has moved Eastwards and is central between the E. coast of China and S.E. Japan.

Moderate monsoon in S. China, strong monsoon over the N. part of the China Sea.

Forecast:—Moderate N.E. winds; fine.

CRICKET.

A HONGKONG C.C. TEAM v. H.M.S. "TAMAR."

This match was played on the Cricket Ground this afternoon, and resulted in a win, on the first innings, for the Tamar.

The Tamar batted first, and made a bad start. Four wickets fell for 14 runs and seven were down for 35. Solbeck and Greenstock saved the situation, and then Burt, chipped in with a useful 28.

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LATE TELEGRAMS.

Afghanistan.

October 29.—Lord George Hamilton, replying to questions by Sir George Hamilton, said that the Russian purchase of guns and munitions in Germany was not inconsistent with the agreement with the British Government. Great Britain, he said, has received a communication from Russia proposing a communication from Russia.

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THE CHINA MAIL.

Count Esterhazy.

Count Paul Esterhazy has abandoned the order of the Jesuits, and the priesthood claims the return of £23,000. The authorities of the order have refused to comply with the request on the ground that the gift was made unconditionally.

The Mullingar Assizes.

Oct 14.—Judge Curran, in his charge to the grand jury at the Mullingar Assizes, stated he regretted boycotting had been commenced in the County of West Meath. The grand jury handed in a protest against the boycott.

His Lordship challenged any of the jurors to say if they had been coerced, and there was no response. The Judge thereupon took the document of the jurors into his own hands, and the jury was discharged.

The Australian Cricketers.

The match between the Australian cricketers and South Africa, which was commenced on Saturday, ended in a draw. South Africa was the first to bat and scored 454. The Australians then batted and scored 454.

Following on, they put 377 for seven wickets, when the innings was declared closed, Hill making 142.

South Africa in the second innings lost four wickets for 101.

An Officer Dismissed.

New York, November 1.—President Roosevelt has directed that Lieutenant James W. Lynch, U.S. Marine Corps, be dropped from the rolls of the service, with one year's pay. He was tried at Cavite, P.I., in August on several charges, including drunkenness and disorderly conduct, and was sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment.

Protection is the Stronghold of the Trusts.

Ex-President Cleveland made his first speech in the Democratic campaign at Morristown, N.J. He said that the reduction of the tariff was the first step towards the protection of the trusts.

Starvation in Canada.

Seven hundred of the Dorkbar presents colonized in Manitoba are starving through religious abhorrence of meat, others of the sect are frantically marching upon Winnipeg. The government of the Dominion of Canada is holding thousands of starving people in the hands of the law.

The Sheridan's Record.

The transport Sheridan has made a new record trip from San Francisco to Manila, she having made the trip via Guam in fifty-four days.

U.S. Troops in Philippines.

An unconfirmed report from Washington to the effect that the army in the Philippines will in the near future, be reduced fifty per cent.; that is, to about 9,000 men.

THE YARN MARKET.

In their fortnightly report dated 7th inst., Messrs. Cawajee, Pallajee and Co. write:—

Since the issue of our last circular, our Yarn Market, notwithstanding a continued brisk demand for Shanghai and the impossibility of replacing the same in Bombay at our ruling quotations, has remained in the same state as last reported. A Chinese operator is endeavouring to press the price, and has accordingly sold another lot of 4000 Bales in the market at \$23 to \$24 under present ruling prices. The sales thus made are reported in Assur 10s, Currimbhoy 10s, City 10s, Danoder 10s, Chittiboy 10s, Indo-China 10s, Petit (Sun) 10s, and so on.

Chiefly for cargo to arrive in six to eight weeks. This had the effect of prejudicing the healthy tone of our market, and, although we again close steady, the prospects ahead are not very encouraging as the Northern Ports will be closed for the winter in the immediate future.

In addition to the above-mentioned 4000 Bales, our local and country markets have taken about 2200 Bales, thus leaving the total business for the fortnight about 6200 Bales. A moderate demand in No. 20s at last mail's quotations is reported in the market. No. 16s, more slowly at quotations. The demand sprang up in No. 12s, which have reached \$1 to \$2 higher than last mail's prices. Sales of No. 1's are mostly done for cargo to arrive, and only about 500 Bales spot changed hands. Sales during the fortnight consist of about 60 Bales of No. 16s, 100 Bales of No. 12s, 400 Bales of No. 10s, 700 Bales of No. 12s, 175 Bales of No. 16s, and 680 Bales of No. 20s.—In all about 6200 Bales. Arrivals during the fortnight per steamer *Agashima* 10s, *Hongkong* 10s, *Chittiboy* 10s, *Indo-China* 10s, *Petit (Sun)* 10s, and so on.

Shipments to Shanghai and Coast Ports of about 8000 Bales. The unsold stock is estimated at about 2200 Bales.

Local Productions.—Sales of about 400 Bales of No. 16s at \$18 and of 700 Bales of No. 12s at \$18 are reported in the market.

Exchange.—Exchange on India has suffered a heavy drop, and is now quoted at Rs. 123 1/2 per cent.

'FOR THE BLOOD IS THE LIFE.'—If the blood is laden with impurities it spreads disease as it circulates through the organs of the human body. Scourge, Rheumatism, Kidneys, Brain, Clarks' World-famed Blood Mixture is warranted to cleanse the blood from all impurities from whatever cause arising. From Scrophulous, Scurvy, Eczema, Bad Legs, Skin and Blood Diseases, Pimples, and Sores of all kinds its effects are marvellous. Thousands of wonderful cures have been effected by it. Sold everywhere at 1/6. Beware of worthless imitations and substitutes.

The German Fleet.

Oct. 15.—At the annual Congress of the German National Liberal Union at Eisenach, Saxony, Dr. Weymar, Herr Bassermann, the leader, declared that the French desire for 'la revanche' was periodically aflame. He urged showing caution in the relations with Great Britain, and Germany had a strong fleet. It would be a mistake to be driven into a policy hostile to Great Britain.

Attempt to hold up a Train.

The Durban correspondent of the Standard reports that four Americans and two Australians attempted to hold up a train at Pinetown, about 17 miles north of Durban, on Monday night, their object being presumably to rob a safe on the train of £12,000. The authorities were made aware of the plot. Detectives were concealed in the vicinity of the railway, and the train robbers were arrested.

Socialists at Gibraltar.

October 12.—Socialists sought to enter the lines at Gibraltar, and persisted in attempts to enter the prohibited portion to get at the troops. The troops were called out and fired upon the socialists, killing 20 and wounding many others. Many documents seized show that the headquarters of the group were in communication with many European towns.

Dentistry.

SUI SANG, Dentist, No. 14, D'ARQUER STREET.

TERMS VERY MODERATE. Consultation Free. Hongkong, April 24, 1900.

Mr. CHADWICK KEW, DENTAL SURGEON, 39, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. OFFICE HOURS: 9 A.M. TO 5 P.M. Hongkong, March 18, 1902.

DENTISTRY. SUI SANG, Dentist, No. 4, Queen's Road Central. Zongkong, January 1, 1898.

To-day's Advertisements

GOVERNMENT-GENERAL OF FRENCH INDO-CHINA.

THE HANOI EXPOSITION

WILL BE OPENED ON 16TH NOVEMBER, 1902.

A SPECIAL DEPARTMENT has been formed at the French Consulate, Hongkong, under the direction of Monsieur A. Rodard, which will supply ALL INFORMATION REGARDING VISITORS, respecting accommodation at Hotels, Tariffs, Steamers, &c.

SPECIAL STEAMER SERVICE.

THE MESSAGERIES MARITIMES MAIL S.S. "HAIPHONG" now maintains a regular service between Hongkong and Haiphong. The Haiphong will make her first trip from Hongkong on TUESDAY, 11th inst. After that her sailings will be as follows:—Leaves Hongkong 1st, 11th, and 21st of each month. Leaves Haiphong on 5th, 15th and 25th of each month. Specially Reduced Fares as follows:—

First-class Single Ticket ... \$45
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First-class Return Ticket ... \$75
Second-class Return Ticket ... \$45

Steamers of the Marty and the Jobson lines make frequent sailings between Hongkong and Haiphong.

Hongkong, 8th November, 1902.

Commissaire-General de l'Exposition de Hanoi.

THEATRE ROYAL.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 17.

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AND A COMPANY OF 26 ARTISTS.

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'I do not know any Actress who is more capable of taking up the roles laid down by Mary Anderson than Janet Waldorf.'—*Sun*

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.
SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.FOR HAVRE, HAMBURG AND BREMEN.
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GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL, PELICUS, 16th December.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL, TERN, 16th December.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL, TELEMACHUS, 31st December.
The S.S. ALBION left Singapore on the 7th inst. and is expected here on 12th inst.

HOMEBWARDS.

LONDON, 11th November.
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(Taking Cargo at London Rates).
LONDON, 25th November.
AMSTERDAM AND LONDON, 25th November.
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HOMEBWARDS.

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TRANS-PACIFIC SERVICE.

VICTORIA, SEATTLE, TACOMA, and
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NAGASAKI, KOBE, and YOKOHAMA.
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Vessels Advertised as Loading

<i>Destinations.</i>	<i>Vessels.</i>	<i>Agents.</i>	<i>Date of Leaving.</i>
Amsterdam & London	Tantalus (n)	Butterfield & Swire	December 8.
Australian Ports	Tunias (s)	Butterfield & Swire	November 15.
Australian Ports	Changia (n)	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	December 8.
Baltimore & New York	Charles Tibbighien (s)	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Nov. 20, at 4 p.m.
Bremen, &c.	Suessen (s)	Mathers & Co.	About noon.
Bombay, &c.	Sura (n)	Melchers & Co.	Nov. 24, at noon.
Genoa, L'ion, Antwerp	Bonmaria (n)	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	About Dec. 5.
Havre and Hamburg	Serbia (s)	Hamburg-Am'ke Linie	November 19.
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NOVEMBER 8, 1902.

Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	Paid up.	Quotation Cash.
BANKS.				
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.	80,000	£ 125	all	£ 630
Union Bank of China, Limited	19,970	£ 10	8	£ 27, London, £24.10
Do. Founders' shares	23,950	£ 10	8	£ 27, sellers
Do. Founders' shares	750	£ 1	1	£ 110, sellers
MARINE INSURANCES.				
Canton Insurance Office Co., Ltd.	10,000	£ 250	£ 50	£ 187½, sellers
China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd.	24,000	£ 83.33	£ 25	£ 80, buyers
North-China Insurance Co., Ltd.	6,000	£ 100	£ 20	£ 17½, sellers
Strait Insurance Co., Ltd.	10,000	£ 250	£ 50	£ 160, sellers & buyers
Yongtze Insurance Association, Ltd.	8,000	£ 100	£ 50	£ 131
FIRE INSURANCES.				
China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,000	£ 100	£ 20	£ 88, sellers
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	8,000	£ 250	£ 50	£ 350, sellers
STEAMSHIP, TRUG, ETC.				
H'kong & Whampoa Dock Co. Ltd.	50,000	£ 50	all	£ 217½, sales
Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited.	6,000	£ 25	£ 5	£ 25, buyers
New Amoy Dock Co., Ltd.	6,000	£ 62½	£ 43	£ 37, buyers
S. C. Farman, Boyd & Co. Ltd.	55,700	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	Tls. 215, buyers
STEAMBOATS, TRUGS, ETC.				
China and Manila S. S. Co., Ltd.	20,000	£ 50	£ 50	£ 226, buyers
Douglas Steamship Co., Limited	20,000	£ 50	£ 50	£ 141, buyers
H.K. C. and M. Steamboat Co., Ltd.	10,000	£ 15	£ 15	£ 37½, sellers
Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited	10,000	£ 10	£ 10	£ 32½, sales
Star Ferry Company, Ltd.	10,000	£ 10	£ 5	£ 513
Shanghai Transport & Trading Co., Ltd.	2,000	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	Tls. 330, sellers
Shanghai Tug Boat Co., Ltd.	2,000	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	Tls. 165, sales
Taku Tug and Lighter Co., Ltd.	8,000	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	Tls. 165, sales
Shanghai Cargo Boat Co., Ltd.	6,000	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	Tls. 165, sales
Co-operative Cargo Boat Co., Ltd.	3,000	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	Tls. 165, sales
SUGAR.				
China Sugar Company, Limited	20,000	£ 100	all	£ 103½, sellers
Luzon Sugar Company, Limited.	7,000	£ 100	all	£ 115, buyers
Perak Sugar Cultivation Co., Ltd.	7,000	Tls. 50	Tls. 50	Tls. 77
WHAVERIES.				
H.K. & Kowloon Godown Co.	30,000	£ 50	all	£ 80, buyers
Shanghai and Hongkong Wharf Co.	20,100	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	Tls. 310, sales
LAND AND BUILDING.				
Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited	30,000	£ 100	100	£ 316, sellers
Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ltd.	38,000	Tls. 60	Tls. 50	Tls. 125, buyers
Kowloon Land and Building Company, Ltd.	6,000	£ 50	£ 30	£ 30
Wei-hei-wei Land & Building Co., Ltd.	3,764	Tls. 25	Tls. 25	Tls. 15, sellers
Humphreys Estate & Finance Co.	100,000	£ 10	all	£ 112½
West Point Building Co., Limited	12,500	£ 50	£ 50	£ 848, buyers
TRAMWAYS.				
H.K. High-Level Tramways Co., Ltd.	1,250	£ 100	all	£ 345
MINEING.				
Jobebu Mining & Trading Co., Ltd.	60,000	£ 5	all	£ 14, sellers
New Punjion Mining Co., Ltd.	60,000	£ 10	all	£ 24, sellers
Preference shares	30,000	£ 1	all	£ 91, sellers
Scott's Preference Shares (China)	16,000	Fcs. 250	all	£ 600, sellers
Roub Aust. Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	200,000	£ 1	18/10	£ 37, sellers
HOTELS, ETC.				
Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd.	12,000	£ 50	all	£ 316, sales & buyers
Oriente Hotel, Manila	7,000	£ 50	£ 50	£ 80
Astor House Hotel, Ltd. (Tientsin)	7,000	Tls. 50	Tls. 50	Tls. 140, sellers
Astor House Hotel Co., Ltd. (Shanghai)	4,600	£ 100	£ 100	£ 840, buyers
DISPENSARIES.				
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited	60,000	£ 10	all	£ 115, buyers
Watkins Limited	10,000	£ 10	£ 10	£ 37, buyers
OTHERS.				
H.K. and China Gas Co., Limited	7,000	£ 10	all	£ 210, buyers
Shanghai Gas Company, Ltd.	8,000	Tls. 50	Tls. 50	Tls. 120, sales
Hongkong Electric Co., Limited	20,000	£ 10	£ 10	£ 315, sales & buyers
New Electric "new" Co., Ltd.	30,000	£ 10	£ 5	£ 50, sales & buyers
BRICK AND CEMENT.				
Green Island Cement Co., Ltd.	50,000	£ 10	£ 10	£ 21
MISCELLANEOUS.				
Manila Investment Co., Ltd.	20,000	£ 50	£ 50	£ 230, sellers
Bell's Asbestos Eastern Agency, Ltd.	8,004	£ 12½	£ 12½	£ 81, buyers
United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Ltd.	10,000	£ 10	£ 10	£ 155
H. N. Baker Company, Ltd.	600	£ 50	£ 50	£ 540
H.K. Steam Water-boat Co., Ltd.	7,000	£ 10	£ 7	£ 7
Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Ltd.	10,000	£ 7½	all	£ 112, sellers
Tongkong Ice Company, Limited	5,000	£ 20	all	£ 240
Shanghai Tug Boat Co., Ltd.	2,000	£ 20	all	Tls. 350, buyers
H. N. P. Planting Company, Ltd.	20,000	£ 5	£ 5	£ 112½
H. N. P. Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	10,000	£ 10	£ 10	£

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 Per *Haitan*, at 9 a.m., on Tuesday,
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SAMARANG & SOURABAYA.
 Per *Theodor While*, at 9 a.m., on
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MANILA.
 Per *Yuesang*, at 11 a.m., on Tuesday,
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HIAPHONG.
 Per *Haiphong*, at 2 p.m., on Tuesday,
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MANILA.
 Per *Kashti Maru*, at 2 p.m., on
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Tues-	The Austrian Lloyd's steamer for the port of Hongkong on 12th Nov.
Wednesday,	The C. M. S. N. Co.'s steamer Robe on the 2nd Nov. will here on 9th Nov.
Thursday,	The C. P. R. Co.'s steamer couver on Tuesday for Hongkong, via Canton.
Tues-	The Austrian Lloyd's steamer left Moji for the port of November, at 8 a.m.
Monday,	The Boston Rowing Club sailed from Hongkong Hongkong, on the 12th.
Wednesday,	The S. S. <i>Hindustan</i> left 1st Oct. for Hongkong.

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